

Amendments To The Specification:

In the English translation document, please add the paragraph at page 1 line 4, after the title, as follows:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application is the US National Stage of International Application No. PCT/EP03/05573, filed May 27, 2003 and claims the benefit thereof. The International Application claims the benefits of European application No. 02011965.7 EP filed May 29, 2002, both of the applications are incorporated by reference herein in their entirety.--

In the English translation document, please replace the section heading at page 3 line 27, as follows:

~~Description of the invention~~ SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

In the English translation document, please amend the paragraph at page 3 beginning at line 29, as follows:

The invention overcomes the described drawbacks by means of a method as described in the claims ~~claim 1~~.

In the English translation document, please add the section heading at page 4 line 3, as follows:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--

In the English translation document, please replace the section heading at page 4 line 19, as follows:

~~Description of the exemplary embodiments~~ DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION